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Applicant: Alireza Rezaie and Charles T. Esmon

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For: CALCIUM BINDING RECOMBINANT ANTIBODY AGAINST PROTEIN C

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.129(a)

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 3, 1998, please amend the application as follows. A Petition for an Extension of Time for one month, up to and including June 3, 1998, and the appropriate fee for a small entity, are enclosed.

This application claims priority to an application pending more than two years as of June 8, 1995, the effective date of 35 U.S.C. 154(a)(2), taking into account the reference made in this application to an earlier filed application under 35 U.S.C. 120, U.S. Serial No. 07/292,447 filed December 30, 1988. Enclosed is a check in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a) for a small entity for filing this Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.129(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2507.